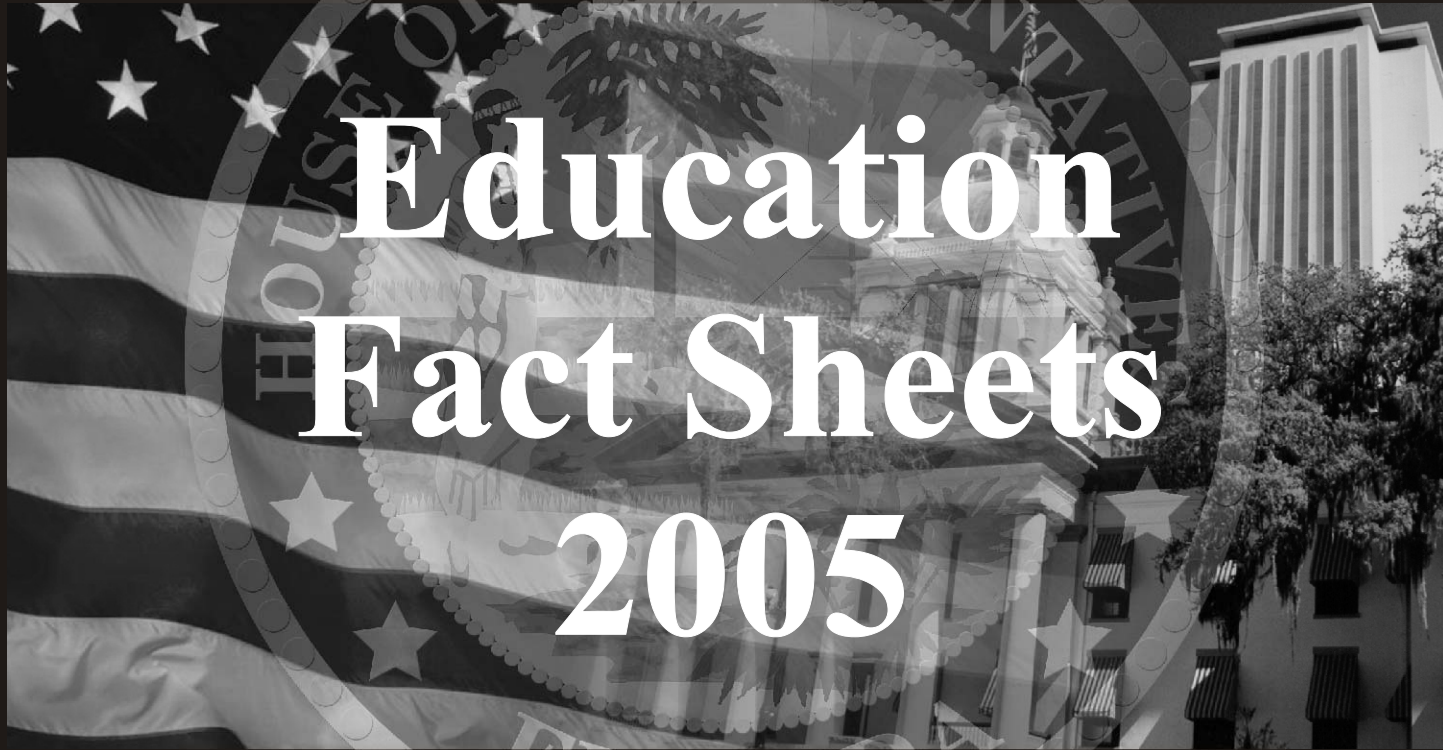


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## *Preface*

*The Education Fact Sheets reference frequently asked questions and are updated each year to provide the reader with current information. New fact sheets are added to reflect education issues that have been identified during the previous year.*

*Viewed as a whole, this document provides an overview of the complexity of Florida's education issues and programs. Viewed individually, each fact sheet provides information "in a nutshell" about a specific education issue or program, with guidance for how to get more detailed information.*